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Legal Title

California ABLE Program Fund

Legal Citation/Authority

Chapter 774, Statutes 2015 (AB 449)

Welfare and Institutions Code section 4878 (a)

Fund Classification

GAAP Basis

Fiduciary/Private Purpose Trust Fund

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Legal Basis

Nongovernmental/Trust and Agency Fund – Non-Federal

Purpose

To implement the federal Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Act of 2014. This fund is created to receive deposits from designated beneficiaries or eligible individuals in connection with ABLE accounts for investment and use for qualified disability expenses.

Administering Agency/Business Unit Code

California ABLE Act Board/0981

Major Revenue Source

- Contributions from designated beneficiaries and eligible individuals.
- Investment income and interests.

Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)

Distribution to designated beneficiaries. Welfare and Institutions Code section 4878 (i) prohibits the transfer or use of the assets by the state for any purpose other than the purposes of the trust and consistent with the provisions of the federal ABLE Act.

Appropriation Authority

In accordance with Welfare and Institutions Code section 4878 (a) (1), the program fund is continuously appropriated without regard to fiscal years.

State Appropriations Limit

Always Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes and even after transfer, will never become proceeds of taxes because the major revenue source is derived from private contributions from eligible individuals to a Trust and Agency Fund.

Comments/Historical Information

In accordance with Welfare and Institutions Code section 4878 (e), all costs of administration of the ABLE program trust shall be paid out of the Administrative Fund (Fund 8101).

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